

**IN THE
UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

ATTENTION OF:
Art Unit 2612
EXAMINER:
NGUYEN, Nam V.

Dear Examiner Nguyen:

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (“IDS”) is submitted pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.56. The filing of this “information disclosure statement shall not be construed to be an admission that the information cited in the statement is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in § 1.56(b).” See 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(h).

Pursuant to MPEP § 2001.06(b), Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner confirm that all references cited in the pending application's parent applications—i.e., U.S. Patent Nos. 6,977,576; 6,359,547; and 5,617,082—from which priority has been properly claimed there from, have been considered during prosecution of this application.

Applicant desires that this previously considered information be printed on the cover of any patent that may issue from the present application and therefore submits this information pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. As such, to ensure that all references cited in the parent application(s) appear on the cover of a patent that may issue from the present application, Applicant has included the following references in PTO Form SB08 per MPEP §§ 609.02 and 609.06, which have been cited in the pending application's parent application(s):

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U.S. Patents

4,205,325 to Haygood, et al.	4,206,491 to Ligman, et al.
4,670,747 to Borras, et al.	4,672,375 to Mochida, et al.
4,703,359 to Rumboldt, et al.	4,727,369 to Rode, et al.
4,746,919 to Reitmeier	4,760,393 to Mauch
4,779,090 to Micznik, et al.	4,791,280 to O'Connell, et al.
4,829,290 to Ford	4,857,914 to Thrower
4,942,393 to Waraksa, et al.	4,967,305 to Murrer, et al.
5,043,720 to Laurienzo	5,065,356 to Puckette
5,140,317 to Hyatt, Jr., et al.	5,343,077 to Yoshida, et al.
5,347,267 to Murray	5,389,919 to Warren, et al.
5,473,318 to Martel	5,475,375 to Barrett, et al.
5,479,151 to Lavelle, et al.	5,742,238 to Fox
5,745,044 to Hyatt, Jr., et al.	5,774,058 to Henry, et al.
5,774,059 to Henry, et al.	5,805,074 to Warren, et al.
5,873,276 to Dawson, et al.	

Foreign Patents

JP04238979 to Makoto

JP0689391 to Toshihiko Hayashi

Applicant also includes the following references, which have been considered during prosecution of Applicant's closely related patent application(s)—U.S. Pat. Nos. 7,019,615 and 7,295,100; and/or submitted in Applicant's recently abandoned U.S. Pat. App. Ser. No. 11/708,730, namely:

U.S. Patents

4,720,700 to Seibold, et al.	5,339,250 to Durbin
5,392,025 to Figh, et al.	5,575,515 to Iwamoto, et al.
5,617,082 to Denison et al.	5,636,861 to Stillwagon
5,774,053 to Porter	5,813,257 to Claghorn, et al.
5,841,866 to Bruwer, et al.	5,886,644 to Keskin, et al.
6,005,487 to Hyatt, Jr., et al.	6,038,491 to McGarry, et al.
6,068,305 to Myers, et al.	6,318,137 to Chaum
6,345,522 to Stillwagon, et al.	6,401,059 to Shen, et al.
6,483,424 to Bianco	6,496,101 to Stillwagon
6,525,644 to Stillwagon	6,575,504 to Roatis, et al.
6,581,986 to Roatis, et al.	6,684,671 to Beylotte, et al.
6,867,685 to Stillwagon	6,874,828 to Roatis, et al.
6,900,720 to Denison, et al.	6,977,576 to Denison, et al.
7,456,725 to Denison, et al.	7,482,907 to Denison, et al.

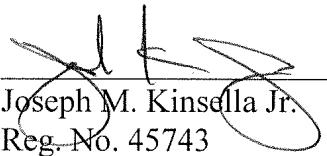
U.S. Patent Publications

2002/0024418 to Ayala, et al.	2002/0024420 to Ayala, et al.
20030030539 to McGarry, et al.	2003/0127866 to Martinez, et al.
2003/0128101 to Long, et al.	2005/0088279 to Denison, et al.

Because this IDS is being provided after the receipt of the first Office Action, Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to deduct the required fee—\$180.00—from Applicant's counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-0545. If any other charges or fees must be paid in connection with this communication, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from the same Deposit Account.

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IN RE APPLICATION OF:	Denison, et al.	COMMUNICATION TRANSMITTING STATEMENT OF BASIS FOR RELEVANCE OF FOREIGN LANGUAGE DOCUMENTS IDENTIFIED IN SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
CASE:	MET-041424C004	
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PUBLICATION NO.	PUBLICATION DATE	BASIS FOR RELEVANCE
JP 04238979	8/26/1992	<p>PURPOSE: To make it possible to permit or refuse the implementation of processing of entering and leaving a building, etc., by using an IC card for a manager of the building, etc., to unlock at the start or lock at the end.</p> <p>CONSTITUTION: A CPU 31 controlling the entire of an IC gate device 3, a memory 32, a card-reader writer 33, an opening and shutting state detector 34, a timer 35 and an electronic lock driving section 36 are arranged. In addition, a communication interface 37 and a chime driving section 38 are provided. After that, when a manager</p>

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implements unlocking processing, an entry permission mode is made by an IC card through the memory 32, and an electronic lock 24 can be unlocked.; A gate concentrated controller gives instructions of an entry free mode capable of entering a room without having the car, a card number of the manager capable of unlocking and others to the memory 32 in advance. According to the constitution, entering and leaving processing can be instructed by a control panel 25 within only a given period of time from unlocking to locking with the IC card of the manager.

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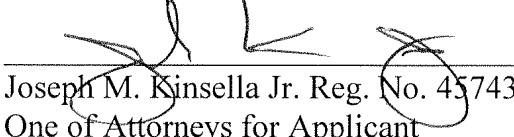
PURPOSE: To provide the building control system which performs entry and exiting control over a building and immediately recognizes the presence places of individuals in the building.

CONSTITUTION: An ID code sent as an electromagnetic wave from an ID card 1 is received by an antenna 21. The received ID code is collated by a discriminating circuit 24 with registered ID codes. When the received ID code is already registered, the electronic lock of a door is unlocked to allow the person to enter the room. At the same time, the presence place and movement history of the person who carries the card are controlled on the basis of the received ID code.

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